

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

MAURICE SPEARMAN #158437,

Plaintiff,

Civil Action No. 04-72414
District Judge Arthur J. Tarnow
Magistrate Judge R. Steven Whalen

v.

RAY BOWERSON, et.al.,

Defendants

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ORDER DISMISSING MOTION TO STAY PROCEEDINGS

On November 2, 2005, Plaintiff filed a Motion to Stay Proceedings [Docket #46], pending the appointment of counsel. On December 21, 2005, the Court granted Plaintiff's request for counsel, and on April 5, 2006, attorney Stephen F. Wasinger entered his appearance as Plaintiff's counsel.

Therefore, Plaintiff's Motion to Stay [Docket #46] is DISMISSED AS MOOT.

In addition, this Court's previous order staying discovery, including Plaintiff's deposition [Docket #44], is RESCINDED.

SO ORDERED.

S/R. Steven Whalen
R. STEVEN WHALEN
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

Dated: May 31, 2006

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that a copy of the foregoing order was served on the attorneys and/or parties of record by electronic means or U.S. Mail on May 31, 2006.

S/G. Wilson

Case Manager